

House Resolution No. 701

Whereas, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives wholeheartedly believe that a successful marriage forms a firm foundation for a lifetime of happiness and security and wish to salute an outstanding Missouri couple whose union confirms that philosophy; and

Whereas, Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Heck, treasured residents of Mound City, Missouri, commemorated the resplendent occasion of their Fiftieth Wedding Anniversary on February 13, 2005, with a festive celebration and reception hosted by their children at the Christian Fellowship Church in Mound City; and

Whereas, joined in marriage before the eyes of the Lord on February 13, 1955, Wayne E. Heck and Betty Linn Stadalman began their lives together as husband and wife after a memorable wedding ceremony at the First Christian Church in Mound City; and

Whereas, a proud father and caring husband who dutifully served his country in the United States Army during the Korean War, Mr. Heck provided a safe and secure future for his loved ones as a self-employed farmer and dairyman for forty-one years, while Mrs. Heck enjoyed her family immensely and showed her special love for them by dutifully caring for her home and remaining supportive of their every endeavor; and

Whereas, Wayne and Betty Heck attribute their fifty years of wedded success and happiness to their strong sense of faith and family, the foundation upon which they have planted the seeds of their love and respect for each other in the generations to follow which include their three children and their spouses, Bob and Cindy Heck, Mike and Jennifer Heck, and Janet and Robert Wilson, all of Mound City; and their six grandchildren; and

Whereas, Wayne and Betty Heck have remained devoted life partners and have put forth a tremendous amount of effort to ensure the sanctity of the vows they took so very long ago:

Now, therefore, be it resolved that we, the members of the Missouri House of Representatives, Ninety-third General Assembly, unanimously join in a thunderous round of applause for Wayne and Betty Heck upon the glorious celebration of their Golden Wedding Anniversary, and in wishing them much peace and contentment as they proudly continue their journey along life's path; and

Be it further resolved that the Chief Clerk of the Missouri House of Representatives be instructed to prepare a properly inscribed copy of this resolution for Mr. and Mrs. Wayne Heck.

Offered by _____
Representative Brad Lager
District No. 4

I, Rod Jetton, Speaker of the House of Representatives,
Ninety-third General Assembly, First Regular Session, do
certify that the above is a true and correct copy of House
Resolution No. 701, adopted February 21, 2005.

Rod Jetton, Speaker